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SOURCE

- Before World War II, four German geological teams under the control of the Yugoslav Ministry of Defense conducted oil explorations in Yugoslavia, During the occupation a "Geological Section for Exploring Petroleum Sites" was established at Zagreb to continue explorations.
- 2. When Zagreb was captured by the Communists in 1945 the complete archives of the German geological section were captured and transferred to Belgrade. Part of the archives were given to the Ministry of Mines, and part to the Office of the President of the Cabinet. The archives revealed that about 400 areas in the Pannonic section of Yugoslavia were suitable for drilling. These areas were divided into the following three groups:
 - The first section included Medjumurje (the territory between the Drava and Mura Rivers), and the area in the vicinity of Zagreb.
 - The second section included the Yuroslav-Hungarian and Yugoslav-Rumanian border territory; and the area along the Danube River to the point of . influx of the Drava River into the Danube.
 - c. Bosnia and Dalmatia.
- 3. During World War II, the Germans found oil at a depth of 600 meters near Kutina and in the Gojilo district. The Gojilo oil field was immediately exploited by the Germans, and presently is being exploited by the Yugoslav Covernment, producing about 80 tons of crude petroleum per day. Of the derivatives of the crude petroleum, approximately nine percent is gasoline. The remainder are other petroleum products and by-products.
- 4. Petroleum was found and is being exploited at Mermer Brdo (sic) in the vicinity of Zagreb, and in the Medjumurje. Precisely where in the Medjumurje oil has been found is not known, but this petroleum is reportedly of a high quality, yielding approximately 24 percent gasoline.
- 5. Up to the time of the Cominform rift, Soviet experts had drilled near Novi Becej for about two years. Petroleum was found at a depth of 1,200 meters, but drilling was halted until new machines arrived. In 1949 and during 1950 Yugoslav experts drilled in the vicinity of Vrsac, finding petroleum at a depth of 1,200 meters. This area appears to be rich in oil but the lack of

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equipment and skilled workers prevents adequate exploitation. During the summer of 1950 there was drilling in the Banat region in the vicinity of Alibunar, and north of Belgrade near the villages of Borca and Ovca. These Yugoslav drillings are being conducted by order of the Council (former Ministry) of I roduction and Refinement of Petroleum in Belgrade.

6. At the end of 1949 total production of crude petroleum in Yu oslavia averaged 200 tons per day, which amounts to only seventeen percent of the production required by the Five Year Plan. Yu oslav requirements for gasoline and other petroleum products average 3,500 tons per day.

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